

NEW YORK, April 23—Cotton futures opened steady. May 29.00; July 27.50; October 24.27; December 23.70; January 23.35.

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WASHINGTON, April 23—Alabama: Fair tonight. Thursday cloudy. Probable showers in west. Little change in temperature.

HINTS OF BOYCOTT AT THE SHOALS ARE GIVEN TRANSMISSION LINE CASE TAKEN TO COURT

RECORD CROWD AT AWARD OF PRIZES IN DRESS-UP WEEK

Streets Thronged for the Final Event of Week's Program

MONEY GIVEN BY MERCHANTS

Miss Raper Winner of 1st Prize; Mr. Cortner 1st Men's Prize

Encouraged by their success in winning such a large crowd on the final night of "Pride in Appearance week," the merchants of the Twin Cities are planning a similar event for this fall, only on a much larger scale.

Many declare that never before has Second avenue held so large a crowd. It was stated by those who arranged the event that it was the first of its kind in this part of the country and that for this reason it seemed not to be generally known that all the people, young people especially, were expected to enter the contest for the best appearance.

At the next pride in appearance meet it is planned that large numbers will be enlisted to "march for the prizes."

The program as announced previously was carried out last night except that two of the judges expected, were unable to attend. The three other judges, Mayor Charles Sarver of Athens, Mr. Mahoney of Huntsville and Mrs. Fred Swift of Hartselle were present and made the decisions that disposed of the \$100 in prizes.

The following statement was issued today by W. W. Rahm, who handled many of the details for the merchant's committee:

"The merchants who participated in the 'Pride in Appearance Week' campaign cordially thank the public for the interest shown and want the people to know that we are deeply appreciative of all those who helped make the event the success it was. We thank the contestants, the members of the Albany-Decatur concert band, the Albany-Decatur Daily and Miller Brothers for their help.

"When we stage next fall's contest we expect to make it the biggest ever and again, in advance, ask your co-operation.

"Winners of the prizes in last night's contest, as selected by the judges, were:

"First prize of \$25, Miss Margery Raper, costume from Buttery's.

"First prize of \$25, Sanders Cortner, clothing from Woodward and Dowdy.

"Second prize \$15, Miss Edna Aycock, hat from Matlock's, dress from Garnett's.

"Second prize, \$15, Bessie Malone clothing from Chandler's.

"Third prize \$10, Mrs. W. H. Seaton, costume from Speake and Echols.

"Third prize \$10, Marvin Rankin clothing from Chandler's."

The show of last night was opened when the Albany-Decatur concert band, accompanied by several members of the Hartselle concert band departed from Second avenue for Bank street playing their instruments.

On Bank street a concert was given and later, a similar concert was given on Second avenue.

"The Plantation" act of Miller Brothers was given on Second avenue following the musical concert.

When all was in readiness, as spokesman for the judges Mayor Sarver asked the prize seekers to begin their march along Second avenue between Johnston and Grant streets.

A significant thing about the last night of "Pride in Appearance Week" was the mammoth crowd that assembled soon after 7 o'clock and remained apparently deeply interested and entertained until the prizes were awarded and the last one of the evening's entertainment was over.

Helped Put Over Civic Stunt Here



W. W. RAHM

Mr. Rahm is one of those progressive merchants who helped put over the unique civic stunt, culminating in the "Pride in Appearance" show Tuesday evening. He is quite a community booster and is head of the chamber of commerce.

PRIDE RESIDENCE DAMAGED BY FIRE

Large damage was done at the home of Thomas E. Pride this morning by a fire believed to have originated from a defective electric wire. There was trouble last night at the pride residence with the electric lights, it was stated. Workmen who were tearing away a school building on East Lafayette street were the first people to discover the blaze.

They stated the fire started in the second story, apparently near the center chimney. Most, if not all the furniture was rescued from the flames, which were extinguished by the Decatur and Albany fire departments working in conjunction. The pride residence is apparently unharmed except for its second story. It stands on East Lafayette street about half a block from the Decatur Baptist church.

No one was injured. The fire departments worked for some time before the flames were conquered.

THIRTY PERSONS BELIEVED KILLED

(Associated Press)
BERNE, Switzerland, April 23—Thirty persons are reported to have been killed and 50 injured when the Zurich and Milan expresses collided near Bellinzona this morning. Bodies have been recovered.

HARRY K. THAW IS HELD TO BE SANE

(Associated Press)
PHILADELPHIA, April 23—Harry K. Thaw was declared sane last night by the jury that had been hearing testimony to determine his mental condition.

The jury declared him fully capable of looking after his estate.

The jury deliberated seven hours. William A. Gray, counsel for Evelyn Nesbit, divorced wife of Thaw, said that a motion probably would be filed for a retrial of the case.

MANY INITIATED

Mayor James A. Nelson, Judge Osceola Kyle, Solicitor D. C. Almon, Charles E. Sittason, James L. Draper, P. B. Hale, Dr. L. A. Neill and many others have returned from Birmingham where yesterday they were initiated into the Grotto.

BIDS ASKED

Bids are asked by the city of Hartselle on April 28 for construction of a two inch asphalt concrete paving on 20,000 yards of streets there.

POSTERS SIGNED BY BLACK CROSS WARN NEGROES TO LEAVE

Tuscaloosa Officials Investigating Origin of Advertising MEMBER SHOWN ON THE DRAWING

Figure Wears Pointed Hat and Belt With Dagger Attached

(Associated Press)

TUSCALOOSA, Ala., April 23—Attached to trees along the Hargrove road, about seven miles from Tuscaloosa, for a space of some three miles, deputy sheriffs of Tuscaloosa county Monday of this week, found seven posters signed by the great black cross and warning the negro residents of this section that they must move.

Sheriff W. Y. Kyle is making an investigation. The posters were of heavy drawing paper and at the top they carried the figure of a number of the organization wearing a high pointed round hat, with either a feather or helmet flare to the ear, riding boots and a belt in which a dagger is carried. The belt is not hooded.

"We are worse than the Ku Klux, so look out," says the poster.

Beneath the figure is the declaration "we mean business. Every nigger must move."

The letters were written on a typewriter and were signed in capital letters on the machine, bearing no other signature.

The posters were gathered from trees along the road by Chief deputy Sheriff Foster King and Deputy Sheriff W. L. Huff, following receipt of the notice at the sheriff's office that they were there.

BANKER ROBBED OF \$24,000 IN MONEY

(Associated Press)

TAMPA, Fla., April 23—A. C. Lewis head of the board of directors of the Exchange National bank, was held up this morning in West Tampa and robbed of \$24,000 which he had on his person, according to a report to police officers who answered an alarm and are investigating.

Two men stopped the banker according to officials, as he drove away from a West Tampa bank with the money he was transferring to the Tampa bank. The robbers escaped in an automobile and police here have only meagre descriptions.

McRAE WILL BE SUCCEEDED BY MCGOWAN, OF NASHVILLE

Announcement was made Wednesday by the Crescent Amusement company of the transfer of its local manager A. R. McRae to become manager at Nashville for the Orpheum theater of the Crescent amusement company, there.

The departure of Mr. McRae will be sincerely regretted by his many friends, gained by his courteous manner and fair treatment as director of the theaters of the Twin Cities, since the time the Crescent Amusement company bought all the local play houses last September.

It was due in part to the activities of Mr. McRae, that Sudekum Brothers of Nashville owners of the Amusement company decided to buy the theaters of Albany and Decatur. The class of amusements, especially as regards the picture shows, given under the direction of Mr. McRae have proven satisfactory to a high degree and real enthusiasm has been aroused here for the service of the Crescent Amusement company.

Mr. McRae will be succeeded by M. C. McGowan, of Nashville, for some years manager of the Strand theater there, and a theater man valued highly by his company.

Try to Force Commission to Tell Why Decision Not Given

TENNESSEANS TELL SENATE THEY WANT A SHARE OF POWER

Wilkins and McGugin at Committee Hearing on Shoals Offers

DISTRIBUTION OF POWER URGED

McGugin Doesn't Want a Chinese Wall Built About the Shoals

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 23—Henry Ford's bid for Muscle Shoals received rough handling in the senate agriculture committee hearing today, three witnesses arguing against acceptance of the bid in its present form.

Charges that public sentiment had been aroused in the South by a treacherous propaganda which went so far as to boycott manufacturers who oppose the Ford bid, were made by B. H. Wilkins, of Tallahassee, Tenn., representing the Tennessee Manufacturers Association. He declared his organization opposed the Ford bid unless a guarantee was given that cheap fertilizer and that power would be distributed from Muscle Shoals.

Dan E. McGugin, general counsel for the Tennessee Manufacturers Association, said the Ford offer would mean the turning over of this great project for 100 years without regulation to restriction for a grossly inadequate consideration.

John A. McSparran, master of the Pennsylvania Grange, the last witness said the Grange was opposed to the Ford bid because it did not believe he

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PUBLISHER LEADING GOVERNOR PINCHOT

(Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, April 23—Ralph Beaver Strassburger, wealthy Morrisston publisher, running against Governor Pinchot in yesterday's primary for delegate at large to the republican national convention had a lead of nearly 200,000 votes in less than half the election districts of the state.

MCADOO MANAGER IN TENNESSEE DIES; WAS NEWS EDITOR

George F. Milton Passes Away Suddenly at Murfreesboro

SPOKE TO ROTARY CLUB IN EVENING

Energies Thought to Have Been Overtaxed by Hard Work

(Associated Press)

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 23—The body of George F. Milton publisher of The Chattanooga News, who died last night at Murfreesboro, Tenn., after being stricken at the depot while awaiting a train for Nashville, will arrive here this afternoon. Funeral arrangements will not be announced until the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. George Milton, Jr., from Chicago.

Mr. Milton was state manager for William Gibbs McAdoo in his presidential campaign and had established his headquarters in Nashville from which point he had been making an extensive canvass in the middle section of the state.

Last night he delivered an address before the Rotary club of Murfreesboro, when he gave no indication of illness.

After his address he returned to the hotel, where he conferred with a number of friends. He then went to the railroad station, intending to return to Nashville. He became suddenly ill and was hurried back to the hotel and medical assistance obtained.

Dr. Murphy, of Murfreesboro, attended Mr. Milton remaining with him until he had shown signs of decided improvement. He then left, leaving Mr. Milton in the care of a friend.

Soon afterwards Mr. Milton showed signs of having a sinking spell, and Dr. Murphy was hurriedly summoned, arriving a few minutes after the death of the patient.

Mr. Milton was an enthusiast in the cause of his candidacy for the presidency and had practically given up his connection with his paper for the time being to further the cause of his party. He wrote editorials and filed them by wire. It is thought he had overtaxed his energies in his efforts to keep up both his political and editorial duties.

MORTUARY TO BE ERECTED BY PRIEST

Ground will be broken soon by H. C. Abshire and company, building contractors for a \$15,000 mortuary to be located on Grant street near Second avenue, for H. M. Priest, the well known undertaker.

Mr. Priest stated Wednesday that he would have a modern two story structure built of brick and stone when the contractors had completed their work.

There is to be a funeral chapel, offices, and display rooms on the first floor, while in the second story the store rooms are to be located and apartments for the assistants of Mr. Priest.

The lot on which the new building is to stand is 50 by 150 feet and was formerly the property of J. E. Penney until bought by Mr. Priest through Penney and Whitman.

Woman Sea Diver Seeks Gold.



Miss Margaret Naylor, described as the first woman deep-sea diver in Tobermory, Scotland, to assist in the search for the millions of gold doubloons lost on the Spanish treasure ship Admiral of Florida, sunk off that port in 1588.

POWERFUL SERMON BY REV. EDWARDS

Declaring that the same boldness, fearlessness and tirelessness as was manifested by the first disciples of Christ, must be a part of the equipment of His modern followers, Rev. Noble R. Edwards preached a powerful sermon at the First Christian revival meeting last night to an appreciative company.

It was reported that up to the present time six have requested membership in the First Christian church. The song service which preceded the sermon was led by the choir with Miss Irene Clem as piano accompanist and Miss Marie Talley violin accompanist. In addition to the hymns sung a vocal duet was rendered by Miss Sylva Holland and Herschel McKelvey.

In opening his sermon, Rev. Edwards reminded his hearers that persecution separated the early disciples and that they "went everywhere preaching the gospel."

The minister said that always Christ and His claims were preached by the early apostles. The large increase of Christ's kingdom during the first century following His crucifixion was referred to. It was shown that during the first 100 years of Christianity 5,000,000 professed that faith. It was also shown that the right ratio of increase had been attained, the whole world would now be at the feet of the Savior.

SENATE MOVES TO A VOTE ON BONUS

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 23—Taking up amendments to the bonus bill, the senate voted down 41 to 38 a proposal by Senator Smith democrat, South Carolina, to limit the re-discount rate chargeable on the insurance certificates.

Without a record vote a motion by Senator Walsh, democrat of Mass., to hold payments of the \$50 in cash allowed by the committee until July 1, 1925, was adopted.

MANDAMUS IS FILED IN MONTGOMERY; IS RETURNABLE MAY 1

Douglas Taylor Acting for Manufacturers of Huntsville

HEARINGS WERE HELD IN DECATUR

Ample Time Was Given for Decision, Claims the Petitioner

Douglas Taylor, of Huntsville, representing the Huntsville Manufacturing Association, today filed in the circuit court at Montgomery, mandamus proceedings, seeking to have the Alabama public service commission show cause why a decision has not been rendered in the noted transmission line case.

The petition was set by Judge Jones presiding for return on May 1, when the commission is expected to file its answer and set forth its reasons why it has announced no decision on the application of the Alabama Power company for permission to construct a transmission line through North Alabama.

The petition filed by Mr. Taylor alleges that hearings were conducted in Decatur on February 29 and that ample time has been permitted for the commission to reach a decision on the matter. The petition asks the court to cite the commission to show cause why such decision has not been rendered.

It will be recalled here that hearings were held recently by the commission, at which time witnesses were examined regarding the line and its alleged necessity. At the time the hearings were concluded the commission announced that it would make public its decision at a later date, after it had been given an opportunity to study the immense amount of testimony which had been introduced.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 23—Suit was filed here today in Montgomery County circuit court for writ of mandamus against the Alabama public service commission, requiring it to issue a decision on the Huntsville transmission line, application of the Alabama Power company. The petition was filed by the Huntsville Manufacturers Association and the Lincoln mills, of Alabama.

Judge Walter B. Jones issued an order requiring member of the commission to appear before the court on May 1 to show cause why they had not issued a decision.

TO PRESENT PLAY AT THE MASONIC

The Masonic theater is to be the scene of what promises to be a brilliant entertainment this evening when the local P. T. A. under the direction of Miss Margery Raper will stage the popular play "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tickle."

The Albany-Decatur concert band will give a musical concert, which is to begin before the play opens.

The band also, is expected to play during the intermission in the play while the scenery is being changed. Forty people are to appear in "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tickle," and they are to be clothed in the latest costumes, which are said to be beautiful and flashy.

A large attendance is confidently expected, the promoters of the entertainment state.

Let's all go to Decatur's Leading Drug Store

OPENING

FRIDAY, APRIL 25th

The place that Invites and Welcomes all to participate in their Fourth Annual Opening Soda Water Season.

THIS STORE EACH YEAR ENTERTAINS ITS FRIENDS WITH A PARTY THAT IS LOOKED FORWARD TO BY THE PROPRIETORS AS THE ONE DAY THEY CAN MEET ALL THEIR FRIENDS ON THE CORNER OF BANK AND VINE WITH A SMILE AND A HEARTY WELCOME TO THE FEAST PREPARED ON THIS OCCASION. THIS YEAR WE HAVE GONE THE LIMIT TO GIVE YOU THE BIGGEST DAY OF PLEASURE AND AMUSEMENT WITHIN OUR HISTORY. AS YOUR DRUGGIST AND FRIENDS, WE WANT YOU ALL TO BE OUR GUESTS. WE INVITE YOU FROM FAR AND WIDE TO HELP US MAKE THE OCCASION ONE LONG TO BE REMEMBERED.

The following firms have contributed many samples of various Toilet Articles and Novelties which we will gladly hand you with their compliments.

McKESSON & ROBBINS	NEW YORK
SIDEBOTTOM ICE CREAM CO.	NASHVILLE
SPIRO POWDER CO.	NIAGRA FALLS
MORGAN DRUG CO.	BROOKLYN
MELBA MFG. CO.	CHICAGO
A. S. HINDS CO.	PORTLAND, ME.
WM. WRIGLEY, Jr., CO.	CHICAGO
V. VIVAUDOU, Inc.	NEW YORK
ANDREW JERGENS CO.	CINCINNATI
PEPSIN SYRUP CO.	MONTICELLO
THE ARMAND CO.	DES MOINES
RICHARD HUDNUT	NEW YORK
NORTHAM WARREN	NEW YORK
SPURLOCK NEAL CO.	NASHVILLE
THE KOLYNOS CO.	NEW HAVEN, CONN.

MUSIC

Malone's Band will furnish the music so there will be no dull moments, even though we have no bananas today.

WHITMAN'S FINE CANDIES

We will give each lady a miniature box of Whitman's Fine Candy. Whitman the Candymaker since 1842.

They know how, and you all know Whitman's, for that's what you call for when you want the best, and this store handles only Whitman's quality line.

JOY'S FLOWERS SAY IT

Beautiful as the white snow in the mountains are the Flowers from Joy's—roses and carnations for the ladies.

GENTLEMEN, CIGARS FOR YOU

Gato 1871 Cigars for the men—that's enough said. There is no better—if so, we would have 'em.

Sidebottom's Delicious ICE CREAM

ALL FLAVORS. IT'S PURE THAT'S SURE

Now we have come to the very best, when we tell you that you are welcome to all the Sidebottom's delicious Ice Cream you can hold, also all the Liberty Orangeade and other drinks at our fountain, absolutely as free as the flowers that bloom in May. Yes, we have lots of Ice Cream for this great big free day at Decatur Drug Co., and everybody is invited, everybody expected, everybody wanted so let's go and get your choice of Sidebottom's (it's pure that's sure). Plenty for all, and gracious goodness, how good. Just fill yourself once and we are quite sure your taste will always be for Sidebottom's, the best Cream within your reach, the kind we have handled for years.

REMEMBER THE DAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 25th, THE HOURS 2 TO 5 P. M., AND AGAIN FROM 6 TO 8 P. M. SURPRISE AT 8 P. M. ALSO BE SURE TO REMEMBER YOU ARE INVITED, WANTED AND EXPECTED TO THE GREATEST FREE EVENT OF THE YEAR. COME! COME! COME! EARLY, STAY AS LONG AS YOU LIKE—IN OTHER WORDS, ENJOY YOURSELF, AS WE WILL ENJOY YOUR VISIT.

Decatur Drug Co.

On Corner Bank and Vine

The Home of Courteous Treatment, to all the people all the time.

Phone 94 and 95.

Decatur, Ala.

MY HUSBAND'S LOVE

Adele Garrison's New Phase of Revelations of a Wife

The Story of the Flight of the Harrison Children That Lillian Told Made.

THERE is no anger quite so subtle—and so furious—as that which follows the slamming of a telephone receiver upon a retort one has ready for utterance.

For the first few seconds after Dicky had rebuffed my softly-spoken apology, I stood staring silently, glad of only one thing, that Lillian had absented herself from my room, and therefore no one had heard my attempt to eat humble pie.

Then the recollection of many other hectic episodes in my life with my temperamental husband came to me, and my angry frown was replaced by a tremulous smile. Dicky the Tempestuous might be so angry that he would refuse an apology for the moment, but Dicky the Chivalric never could rest until he had made amends for his rudeness. I should hear from him again before very long. Of that I was very sure.

I went to the door, and called Lillian softly from the kitchen where she had gone when she turned the telephone receiver over to me. Characteristically, she made no reference to Dicky.

"We Aim to Please." "The bread pudding from the neck up," she said, as she began unstitching her gown, "but I must tell you about the children before I go to bed. You certainly provide entertainment for your guests, Madge. I haven't had a second to speak of the children until now."

"We aim to please," I said demurely, and she grinned appreciatively.

"You know me, don't you?" she acknowledged, and I nodded as I went to the bedroom and brought out Dicky's bathrobe.

"This is first aid to the injured," I laughed, "or rather to the ladies who didn't have an opportunity to bring luggage with them. I already have found comfort within it for night. Take off your dress and slip into this while you talk. You'll be more comfortable."

"I'm doing that little thing as fast as I can," she retorted, and in another minute she was wrapped in the bathrobe and ensconced in my easiest chair before the grate while I replenished the fire.

"Dicky certainly knows what's comfortable," she announced, snuggling down into the Indian robe and luxuriously stretching her toes toward the fire. "And this sure is some extra-soft bed. I love the East River to-night."

I shivered at the picture her words suggested, but I did not answer her, knowing the quickest way to get the story I was so anxious to hear.

"It was a hectic time while it lasted," she began with a reminiscent little scowl, "but fortunately it didn't last long enough to shatter Mrs. Braithwaite's nerves. The children bless their hearts, thought it was good fun. Of course, they didn't realize what we were up against, and Dr. Braithwaite has seen too many emergencies to be daunted by anything. But I felt sorry for your sister-in-law. It was something so entirely foreign to the sheltered existence she has led, that I was afraid it would bow her over. But she was game. I'll say that for her. I didn't think it was in her."

Lillian's Story. There was in her voice a genuine note of admiration, a feeling which I knew had triumphed over Lillian's frequently expressed dislike of Har-

JEWELS



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WHAT are earth's most precious gifts? Diamonds blue-white that sparkle and glitter as brightly as the stars in the sky, or emeralds as deeply green as the waters of the sea? Pearls, rubies, opals, sapphires, amethysts? Perhaps. But

question a mother—or anyone who has felt two soft little hands upon her throat or heard a baby "coo"—and you're most apt to be told earth's most precious gift comes not from earth, but heaven, and its price is "far above rubies."

CLARA MORRIS WRITES ABOUT A Cornerstone of Faith

IN looking over the Lost and Found column one often reads between the lines that which dispels sympathy, out back it comes when we reach the familiar "no intrinsic worth but of great sentimental value" and one murmurs, "Oh I hope it may be found."

Three things there are of almost no intrinsic value that are recognized the world over as symbolic of immense sentimental values: The baby shoe, soft, crumpled tiny emblem of that absolute helplessness Bethshara's divine is one.

The honorable old thread-thin wedding ring. In its thick, shining newness it had strength to securely keep the happy two within, while holding all the world outside its sacred small circle. In its thread-thin age it is but a faint gesture of—a what? A tragedy, an imprecation, a benediction, at all events it's a second symbol of sentimental value.

But the third and the greatest of these things is Mother's worn old Bible. Not even the family Bible with all its records of joys and sorrows shared has such a hold upon the heart as mother's own Bible that always lay on the little table at the head of her bed. Did you ever see a mother's own Bible without a pressed flower somewhere between its leaves? Generally, it's a rose. The flower may mean little or it may speak with a tender eloquence, far beyond the power of tongues of men or of angels.

"His Wonderful Discovery" There is a cynical, tried and true old friend with whom ones or twice a year I do furious wordy battle—slam, bang, shovel, tongue and likewise poker—just for the increase of blood circulation and the sharpening of wits dulled by loneliness and with whom after I have made myself as obnoxious as I know how (which really is some) I proceed to arrange a peace. Arms are laid down. The one who got the worst of our "step-on-the-tail-of-me-coat" argument makes the official surrender. Just before our kindly parting the other day, I put a questioning finger on the black band about his sleeve. He hesitated a moment. Then he unwrapped and silently handed me a book. At sight of its worn, used look, faded gilding, metal clasps, I whispered, "Mother's Bible."

He nodded and without thought I continued eagerly, "There's a flower in it?" A distressing quiver passed across his dark face as he muttered, "Look!"

Carefully I fluttered over the leaves and found a violet, the veriest ghost of the imperial purple loveliness of long ago. Through three punctures in the edge of a narrow strip of yellowing paper, the violet's long stem had been laced securely. And in faint writing on the paper I read:

"His wonderful discovery—little Rob's first violet and brought back through all the heat to give to 'Muvver.' Oh, make me worthy, Lord. Amen."

I shot a quick glance at his downcast face that was flushing the part of the owner. No self-spectacular woman should ever let herself wear run-down heels!

Tomorrow's HOROSCOPE By Genevieve Kemble THURSDAY, APRIL 24. A rather quiet day is presaged from the governing planetary positions. With the moon making but a single aspect, and that weak, urging caution in the handling of all writings, matters should move along in customary grooves. It is suggested, however, that caution be observed in the use of money, since Jupiter is in unfriendly relations to Sol. An adverse Venus aspect likewise urges discretion in the use of money or over-indulgence in pleasure or society.

Those whose birthday it is are likely to have a quiet, uneventful year. They should be wise in the use and lending of money and should be particularly prudent and discreet in the pursuit of pleasure or romantic attachment. A child born on this day will be generous to excess, and may develop a tendency to squander its substance in pleasure unless it is thoroughly trained early in life. It should also be given early training in the discreet choosing of its companions.

By Juanita Hamel

YOUR HEALTH

Chronic Lack of Appetite: Its Causes and Remedy

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D., United States Senator from New York, Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

ALMOST everybody is familiar with the condition known as "Spring fever"—the tiredness, as the victim calls it, and laziness, as his critics call it—a flagging of interest in work and in play.

There may even be headache, indigestion and other local bad feelings. There is certain to be more or less diminution of desire for food.

No matter how unpleasant and unwelcome may be this state of mind and of body, if the symptoms are due merely to Spring fever, they may be depended upon to pass off as the person becomes adapted to the change in temperature and changes his Winter habits of eating, dressing and living for others better adapted to the season.

It is not wise, however, for you to make your own diagnosis of Spring fever and disregard the bad feelings without being certain that they have no other cause.

It is a pretty safe rule to regard appetite as an index of one's physical condition. A good appetite and sound digestion usually mean that your general health is good. A poor appetite may be due to any one of many causes, some more and some less serious. It may, however, be looked upon as a sign of poor health.

"Anorexia" is the name doctors give to loss of appetite. It is a Greek word which means "absence of the desire for food."

Stomach troubles are the most common causes for anorexia. In simple gastritis, or inflammation of the stomach, the appetite is apt to be bad on an occasional day, while on other days it will be about normal.

If the inflammation becomes chronic, the loss of appetite is generally constant. In certain forms of cancer of the stomach and in cirrhosis of the stomach—a rare disease in which the walls of the stomach harden and thicken—anorexia is usually persistent.

In tuberculosis, in Bright's disease and in all forms of inflammation of the kidneys, the symptom is very common.

The appetite is nearly always poor in anemia, even in mild cases. For this reason children and young girls who are anemic should have special attention given to their nourishment.

In many nervous conditions, such as neurasthenia, hysteria, and emotional insanity, the patient frequently has no desire for food, and in the latter condition may even refuse to take food at all.

Alcohol, tobacco, opium and similar drugs, when taken in excess, destroy the normal appetite for food. Since anorexia is merely a symptom, the first step in its correction is to find the cause. The doctor should be consulted and the general health investigated. In many cases, tonics, particularly the "bitter tonics," will be helpful. If the condition is due to tired nerves, rest in bed, with quiet and lots of fresh air, may be necessary.

In any case, your doctor will help you to find the underlying cause and will advise you as to its treatment.

Answers to Health Questions

A READER. Q.—I have a small sore on the inside of my nose which has been there for quite a while and every three or four days it bleeds. What is the cause of this condition and can it be cured?

A.—The symptoms you mention are those of a nasal polyp. You should consult a nose specialist for treatment.

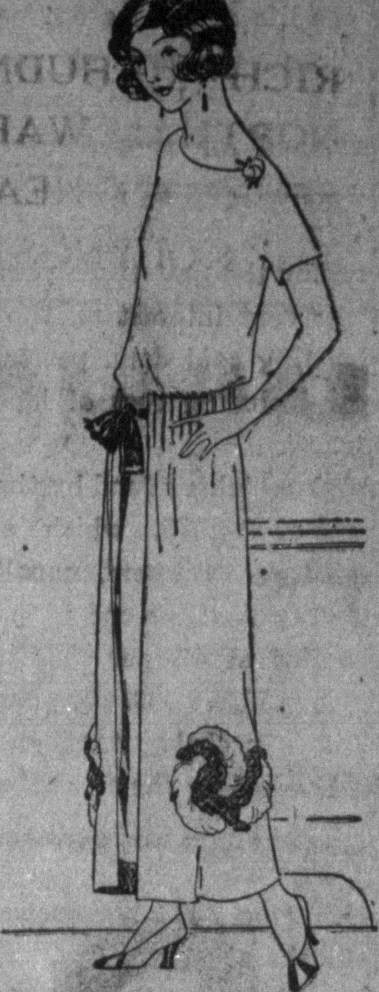
MISS A. E. M. Q.—Will you advise me whether sodium phosphate is harmful if taken for the purpose of reducing? I am taking one teaspoonful in a cup of hot water every morning, and feel very well.

A.—No, this would not harm you, but I would suggest that you try to reduce by eating less and taking plenty of exercise. If you will send a self-addressed, stamped envelope I will be glad to send you further particulars on this subject.

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Today's Fashion

By VERA WINSTON



Note the Novel Treatment on This Gray Alpaca for Afternoon Wear.

ALPACA has become the smart material for frocks of many types. Instead of being used only for the simple morning dress, it has become the thing for afternoon and for evening as well.

This charming afternoon model sketched above is made of shiny alpaca in a soft gray tone. The overskirt is joined to the dress itself with a series of folds that resemble the carriage belt.

Note the trimming treatment. Puffs of the material adorn the overskirt, while deeper gray silk floss makes a looped thread motif on each puff. The narrow ribbon at the girdle repeats the deeper gray.

Three-Minute Journeys Temple Manning

AN UNUSUAL VIEW OF HAMBURG AND ITS PEOPLE.

WHEN Hamburg is spoken of, a great commercial city and seaport is usually brought to the mind's eye, but there are interesting and less familiar characteristics of Hamburg.

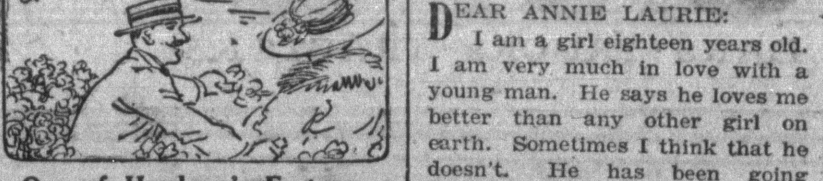
It is true Hamburg is a seaport, but she is seventy-five miles from the sea, on the River Elbe, and her gigantic commerce is transacted from an artificial harbor dug out of meadows and filled with the fresh water of the River Elbe. Her great steamers, after being launched at the Hamburg shipyards, go down the river without cargo to Cuxhaven at the mouth of the Elbe, and never

latitude which corresponds with the northern part of Labrador and consequently comes near to being a land of the midnight sun. In the months of June and July the sun sets about 11:30 P. M. and rises two or three hours later. It is daylight for only three or four hours in the middle of the day during December and January.

For certain natural reasons there is a very heavy rainfall in Hamburg. It is said to rain two days out of three. The result is very luxuriant vegetation and a brilliant greenness which is very pleasing.

The Hamburg folks know how to live. In the very heart of the city they have dammed a little river, the Alster, and secured a beautiful lake large enough for sailing and regattas. A perfect network of canals cuts up the city to such an extent that Hamburg has been called the Venice of the North. The canals extend through the suburbs, making a region of beautiful gardens.

Hamburg was very hard hit by the war, her commerce entirely destroyed. Her mighty ships captured by the enemy and her people left without means of livelihood. Her recovery has been fast.



One of Hamburg's Features.

again ascend to their home port because of their great draft in ocean ballast, and the difficulties of navigating the river. Hamburg is located in a degree of

What Really Are the Foundations of Charm?

By LUCREZIA BORI The Famous Spanish Prima Donna

CHARM is a thing that people often mention, and no one ever offers to define. In fact, a catch question at any time is to ask someone to define charm.

Its secret is the undefinable effect of various small things that count immensely in the sum total. Clothes and personal appearance go a long way toward creating charm, and the qualities that come from within cannot be overestimated.

A radiant spirit, a healthy, happy outlook on life and a feeling of kindness toward others count immensely. If you are physically strong and able, and if you take good care of yourself you should enjoy the spiritual and mental attributes that come from such well-being.

These things may be more difficult to acquire than the outward indications, but the latter are not to be overlooked in their importance.

For instance, can you imagine a charming woman with poorly-kept hands? Of course you can't. No woman deserving of the adjective charming will ever allow herself to go about with nails that are soiled and unkempt. She will have them always in the pink of condition—not too long and not too short. She will keep them spotless, with the cuticle pushed back to reveal the attractive half-moon at the base of her nail.

Her handkerchief will always be clean and white—perhaps just touched with her favorite perfume. This she will not use in large quantities, and she will not choose perfume that is too heavy—just a faint, light, subtle aroma will be more to her liking.

Shoes do not have to be new to be attractive, but they must always be perfectly polished. Heels will often wear off at the backs, but they can be built up by the shoemaker with the expenditure of only a few moments' time and a few cents on

ADVICE TO GIRLS

By ANNIE LAURIE

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: I am a girl eighteen years old. I am very much in love with a young man. He says he loves me better than any other girl on earth. Sometimes I think that he doesn't. He has been going with me about a year, and has asked me to marry him.

Sometimes he has had engagements with me and has broken them. Should he do this? LONESOME BLUE EYES,

LONESOME BLUE EYES: The young man holds his engagement lightly if he breaks his appointments with you without a very good reason.

He is doing wrong by not calling when he promises. Why not have a plain but friendly talk with him, and ask him not to do this as it hurts you very much when he does? If he loves you he will wish to do everything he can to make you happy.

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His critics now say Ford cannot explain his bid.
 He has the right answer, just the same.

The franc and pound are rising in value. Thank
 Dawes.

The Japanese ambassador may not have meant
 it, but to the Pacific coast he did threaten us.

There is always something to live for as long
 as it is not known definitely who will get the
 Shoals.

**FORD SHOULD HAVE MUSCLE SHOALS ALL
 AGREE; WRITE YOUR SENATOR**

The time for arguments for or against the Ford
 bid has passed. The inability of its enemies to
 raise any valid objection to the bid is evident,
 when it is reflected that for years the business
 world has searched in vain for a flaw in the
 famous offer. What Mr. Ford promises to do has
 been stated by himself in his bid and by many
 others. The record is open to all who want to
 read it. Perhaps as good a statement of the pro-
 visions of the Ford offer was that made by Repre-
 sentative Martin Madden. Mr. Madden says Ford
 at first proposes:

1. To maintain at his own expense the
 power houses and all equipment incident
 thereto, returning the same at the end of the
 lease unimpaired.
2. To pay \$35,000 annually for repairs,
 maintenance and operation of Dam No. 2, its
 gates and locks, and \$20,000 per annum for
 repairs, maintenance and operation of Dam
 No. 3, its gates and locks, during the life of
 the lease. The sum of \$55,000 has been esti-
 mated as sufficient for these purposes.
3. To pay \$200,000 annually as rental for
 the first six years on Dam No. 2, and there-
 after during the life of the lease 4 per cent
 interest on the sum necessary to be expended
 for the completion of said dam, power house
 and machinery, and for completing the ac-
 quiring of lands and flowage rights.
4. To pay as rental for Dam No. 3, \$160,-
 000 per annum for the first three years, and
 thereafter 4 per cent interest on the entire
 cost of constructing said dam, power house
 and machinery, including cost of lands and
 flowage rights.
5. To establish a sinking fund by the semi-
 annual payment of \$23,373, which sum if
 compounded at 4 per cent semiannually, will
 amount to \$49,071,935 at the end of the lease,
 and if compounded at 4 1/2 per cent interest
 will amount to \$58,570,003. It has been
 claimed, and it is probably true, that this
 fund could be handled by the federal reserve
 banks to accomplish this result, and practi-
 cally without expense.
6. To furnish free 200 horsepower for
 operating the locks at Dam No. 3. This
 would save the government the cost of operat-
 ing the locks on the Muscle Shoals canal, es-
 timated to range from \$35,000 to \$85,000 per
 annum.

Mr. Madden thus sums up his own conclusion
 as to the Ford offer:
 "When you analyze it, that is not a bad

proposition at all. For a period of 100 years
 the government is freed of any expense in
 connection with these dams, locks and
 power houses and machinery; it receives a
 fairly substantial return on approximately
 two-thirds of its investment in the dams, and
 in the end has repaid to it practically the
 whole of such investment; and, gentlemen,
 remember that throughout that period the
 farmer will have been getting his fertilizer
 and the government will have had at its dis-
 posal a plant fully and modernly equipped
 and ready to produce explosives and other
 war materials.

"The government will have been freed from
 all the hazards attendant upon such a vast
 enterprise, it will have been saved the ex-
 pense of research and experimentation, and
 the burden will have fallen upon others to
 keep these plants equipped to conform with
 the march of progress."

Since the matter seems closed as to the superior
 value of the Ford bid to all others—to say noth-
 ing of the superior ability and character of the
 man who made it, the next thing to do, it would
 seem, is for all the believers in the Ford bid to
 get down their pens and ink, their pencils and
 their typewriters, and compose an appeal to the
 members of the Senate agricultural committee
 and to other members of the Senate, asking that
 the Ford bid be put to a vote.

**THE UPWARD
 CALL OF MUSIC**

If music rests on too high a plane, then the only
 thing people can do, according to Josiah Zuro,
 who directs the free concerts of the Sunday Sym-
 phonic Society in a New York theatre, is to strive
 to reach music's level. The art of tone, as Mr.
 Zuro has from time to time expressed himself,
 holds its residence upon the mountain top. There
 it belongs and there it stays, let those persons
 try to coax it to a lower place who will. In re-
 sponse to no persuasion, whether social, political
 or even philanthropic, will it descend. It is obdu-
 rate even to the behest of the masses.

Were Mr. Zuro a mere aesthetician, the public
 might take temporary note of his opinion and
 wait for the next theorist to speak. But he has
 long been in daily contact with general audiences
 as conductor of a motion picture house orchestra.
 Scarcely anybody has experimented more
 earnestly or more practically in the popularization
 of music than he has. And now he is letting
 other men bring classic works down to the com-
 prehension of Broadway, by process of dismem-
 berment or what not, while he gives his time—
 and the players of his orchestra also give theirs
 —to challenging the appreciation of Broadway to
 rise to the symphonic masterpieces, presenting
 programs of them in proper and regular concert
 form.

As far as professional artists are concerned,
 Mr. Zuro will be likely to stand undisputed in his
 doctrine of the upward call of music. There ex-
 ist, however, amateurs of art who are likely, if
 they deign to notice him at all, to take issue with
 him. Certain men and women who have the
 money to devote to causes and who spend it gen-
 erously, too, act upon the idea that music is a
 good thing because it elevates the community
 and tends to the improvement of the citizenship.
 With them, music confessedly serves an end; not,
 indeed, after the manner of the Roman circus,
 because what it aims to accomplish is noble in-
 stead of base. Nevertheless, music possesses for
 them a purpose outside itself. It represents, in
 fine, a sociological investment.

Perhaps the difference between the attitude of
 Mr. Zuro and that of the patron of art may be
 regarded as simply one of the vocabulary. Mr.
 Zuro carries on his labors right amongst the peo-
 ple, whereas the patron pursues his in the seclu-
 sion of the committee room. Mr. Zuro sees one
 side of the problem and the patron the other, and
 each develops his own terms and selects his own
 words for describing his position. But in any
 case, listeners, whether gathered from Broadway
 or from any other street, great or small, in the
 world, cannot object to being reminded by an
 orchestra leader that the compositions of Schu-
 bert and Beethoven have demands to make upon
 them, as well as benefits to bestow.—The Chris-
 tian Science Monitor.

How They Stand

Southern League

	W.	L.	Pct.
New Orleans	5	3	.625
Mobile	5	3	.625
Little Rock	4	3	.571
Atlanta	4	3	.571
Memphis	4	3	.571
Nashville	3	4	.429
Birmingham	3	5	.375
Chattanooga	2	6	.250

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	5	1	.833
Chicago	4	2	.667
Boston	3	2	.600
New York	4	3	.571
Washington	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Cleveland	2	3	.400
St. Louis	1	6	.143

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	5	1	.833
Cincinnati	5	2	.714
St. Louis	4	3	.571
Chicago	4	4	.500
Brooklyn	3	3	.500
Pittsburgh	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	1	3	.250
Boston	1	3	.250

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Southern League
 Nashville 2, Memphis 14.
 Chattanooga 7; Little Rock 3.
 New Orleans 5; Atlanta 3.
 Mobile 11, Birmingham 5.

American League
 Detroit 8; St. Louis 4.
 New York 6; Washington 3.
 Cleveland 7; Chicago 6; (10 in-
 ings.)
 Philadelphia-Boston, rain.

National League
 Pittsburgh 10; St. Louis 7.
 Cincinnati 3; Chicago 2.
 Brooklyn-Philadelphia rain.
 Boston-New York, rain.

In Memory of A. H. Higson
 Died March 30th, 1924.

His passing from us causes great
 sorrow, yet we sorrow not as those
 who have no hope, we believe it is
 well with his soul. He trusted in the
 redeeming blood of Jesus. He was
 full of the Holy Ghost and of faith.
 In active service for the Master day
 by day. He delighted to go on errands
 of mercy. His heart overflowed with
 sympathy for those in distress and
 trouble. He sought them out, and ren-
 dered to them the assistance he could.
 By word and deed he went about day
 and night doing good, trying to point
 mankind to the blessed Savior. He
 was a leader in righteousness in the
 true sense. He was sincere and thor-
 ough in his efforts to do what he
 could. We are glad to think of the
 blessed association with him in the
 past in Christian fellowship and ef-
 fort. He fought a good fight. He kept
 the faith, and has entered into that
 rest and reward prepared for him by
 the blessed Master whom he zealously
 served.

We call to mind the great earnest-
 ness in his efforts to try to turn his
 fellowmen to God, May the influence
 he thus exerted go on through all the
 years.

Through his great love for the Mas-
 ter he was instrumental in organizing
 "Christ's Minute Men" feeling the
 necessity of immediate action in all
 the King's business, and helping men
 to say "Here am I, send me."

We his brethren shall miss his lead-
 ership and council.

Resolved, that this community has
 lost a true and faithful friend, "Christ
 Minute Men" a great leader, and the
 church a zealous servant of the Mas-
 ter.

Resolved that we extend to his wid-
 ow and son, our sincere sympathy, and
 do commend them to the God of all
 grace, to comfort and heal their broken
 hearts.

Resolved that a copy of the resolu-
 tions be sent to his widow. A copy
 published in the Daily, and a copy kept
 for record.

Henry Hartung.
 H. A. Wyatt
 F. A. Morrow.
 Committee.

BIRTH
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Compton
 of April 20th, a daughter, Marg-
 gery Ann.

NOTICE
 Kam Ram Grotto club of Albany-
 Decatur will hold its regular meeting
 Thursday evening, April 24, at Mason-
 ic hall. All Prophets are requested to
 attend and wear their fezz.
 O. J. Shepard.
 Publicity chairman.
 Advt. 1t.

MRS. KATE FREEDMAN DEAD
 Came to Topeka With Her Children
 Topeka, (Kan.) Daily Capital
 Mrs. Kate E. Freeman, 83, died at
 4:25 o'clock Tuesday afternoon of com-
 plications due to advanced age. She
 was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Law-
 son Garner, and was born October 7,
 1840, at Somerville, Ala.
 In July, 1858, she was married to
 Zenas F. Freeman, then principal of
 the male academy at Somerville, Ala.
 Six children were born to them: Mar-
 tha, Virgil, Jefferson, Frederick W.,
 Lillian Zena. Professor Freeman died
 November 1, 1872; Martha died in
 infancy; Virgil July 14, 1874; Lillian
 (Mrs. Charles H. Weller) in June 1910
 and Zena (Mrs. Thomas A. Cheal) in
 May 1905, leaving Frederick W.
 Freeman, now president of the Mer-
 chant National bank of Topeka, the
 only surviving child.

Three surviving sisters of Mrs.
 Freeman are: Mr. Jacob O. Tatom,
 Matador, Tex., Mrs. Matthew Robin-
 son and Mrs. James Robinson, both of
 Falkville, Ala.

Mrs. Freeman with her four chil-
 dren, moved to Topeka March 10, 1874
 and located at 710 Monroe street. She
 immediately transferred her member-
 ship to the First Baptist church and
 was active in all its work and also in
 the Ladies' Aid society until she was
 disabled permanently by a fall which
 she sustained eight years ago. She
 also was a member of the Daughters
 of the American Revolution.

Those who knew her will know what
 at the vicissitudes she had encoun-
 tered and the physical infirmities she
 had suffered never for a moment less-
 ened her religious fervor.

The funeral services will be held at
 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the
 First Baptist church. Dr. P. W. Cran-
 nell, former pastor of the First Bap-
 tist church and now president of the
 Baptist Theological seminary at Kan-
 sas City, Kan., assisted by the Rev.
 Charles F. Matthews, present pastor,
 will officiate. The burial will be in
 Topeka cemetery and will be private.
 Pallbearers will be the following, all
 official associates of F. W. Freeman
 in the bank: F. M. Bonebrake, E. L.
 Copeland, Robert Pierce, Ernest Jones
 C. L. Carlson and Verne McKinley.

MAY SOLVE K. K. K. MURDERS.



E. E. BUSEY

A nation-wide search has been instituted for Dr. Earl Edward Busey,
 alias E. E. Hall, who disappeared from the Federal Prison in Atlanta,
 Ga., where he had only a few months to serve on a sentence for using
 the mails to defraud. One time an oil millionaire, Busey confided to
 friends that he knew the story of the famous Met Rouge, La. K. K. K.
 murders, which shocked a nation. He declared the book found there
 were not those of the missing Watt Daniel and Thomas Richards, assert-
 ing that though the K. K. K. members killed Daniel, Richards is still
 alive as their captive. While in prison many high Klan officials visited
 him.

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 snugly close as the
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FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching thoroughbred Rhode Island Reds \$1.50 for 15 eggs, Fertilized White Leghorns \$1.00 for 15 eggs. All heavy layers. W. F. Rauschenberg, Phone Decatur 65 or Albany 589-W 21-3t.

FOR SALE—Slightly used water cooler with sanitary bubbling fountain suitable for public place, or number of employees, can be bought at very reasonable price. Apply at Albany Hosiery Mill office. 8-tf.

FOR SALE—A few hundred bushels of pure Acacia Cotton seed, will yield as much and open as nearly as any of the short staple variety and will bring \$25 to \$30 more per bale. John R. Witt, Woodside Stock Farm, Belle Mina, Ala. 25-tf.

FOR SALE—Old papers at five cents per bundle. Call at the Daily office. 15-tf.

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FOR RENT—Four rooms and sleeping porch, upstairs, known as John Lile residence, Trinity. Large shady yard and porches, good water, fine summer resort. \$12.50 per month with use of telephone. Call Trinity 2903 or Decatur 123. 22-3t.

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Tennesseans Tell Senate They Want a Share of Power

(Continued From Page One)

would produce a ton of fertilizer. Muscle Shoals.

WASHINGTON, April 23—Appearing as the representative of the Tennessee Manufacturers Association, F. H. Wilkins, of Tullahoma, Tenn., today urged the senate agriculture committee not to award Muscle Shoals to any private enterprise, unless the contract recognizing the control of the federal waterpower act, assured the completion of Dam No. 3 the distribution of power to adjoining states the manufacture of fertilizer in time of peace and munitions in time of war.

"Now if Mr. Ford will enter into a contract with the government which will insure compliance with these conditions we will be glad to see him operate Muscle Shoals," Mr. Wilkins said.

"As the fertilizer question is still in an experimental stage," Wilkins added, "I believe the government should do everything possible with a great enterprise to produce cheap fertilizer. I do not think this matter should be trusted unreservedly to any private corporation."

"We feel we should be remiss in service to our state unless we made every reasonable effort to obtain for Tennessee excess power from Muscle Shoals," he continued.

Hints of Boycott.

Chairman Norris said he had been informed that some merchants in the vicinity of Muscle Shoals were boycotting manufacturers who did not favor the Ford bid.

Mr. Wilkins said he had heard of a flour manufacturer being boycotted and that threats had been made against his concern.

Wilkins said propaganda for the Ford offer had flooded Tennessee and misled farmers who have not been able to study Ford's terms.

Senator Ransdell, democrat, Louisiana, said Ford would be a remarkable financier if he used the power to produce cheap fertilizer when he could make a great profit by producing something else.

Mr. Wilkins asserted the proposition was too big for any one man.

"Ford might wish to do it, but his state might not," he added.

McGugin Speaks.

Dan McGugin, federal counsel for the Tennessee Manufacturers Association, told the committee that if the power at Muscle Shoals could be used to produce cheap fertilizer, the manufacturers would not complain.

"The Southern manufacturer, however, does not want to see a Chinese wall built around Muscle Shoals," he said. "There is surplus power there, we respectfully request it be made available to the manufacturer, the farmer and everybody else over a wide area of territory as is possible."

"We are not opposed to Mr. Ford nor in favor of the power company,"

for against the Hooper-Atterbury-White proposal. We merely respectfully ask that everything possible be done to produce cheap fertilizer and that excess power be distributed and sold at reasonable rates."

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Japanese Is Catcher on Harvard Nine.



JUNE MIYAKAWA

June Miyakawa, member of the sophomore class at Harvard, is one of the most likely candidates for the catcher's berth on the Crimson's varsity nine. He has one of the deadliest throwing arms on the squad. Miyakawa entered Harvard after a year at the University of California. He graduated from the Sacramento, Cal., High School, catching on the school nine for two years.

With Reindeer in Alaska

CANTWELL—Wild caribou bulls are invading the reindeer herds of Broad Pass, and the result are beginning to manifest themselves in the number of long-legged, long-necked calves grazing in the herds. Aside from these traits, together with the solid color of the caribou, there is little difference between pure-blooded domesticated reindeer and the caribou.

It is believed that eventually the reindeer will be taught to eat grain, and thus become a better beast of burden. In experiments reindeer have been taught to eat oats, but they still demand moss as a roughage. It is hoped gradually to accustom the animal to other forage until it will accept other roughage, and therefore be able to travel long distance. At present a reindeer is good for but five days as a sled animal. After that it must be released to recover its lost fat on moss.

Former Missionary Will Speak Tonight

Dr. Fred B. Pearson, recently returned from Jerusalem where he was manager of the Southern Baptist Mission in Ualestine and Persia, will deliver an address at the Decatur Baptist church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. He is now under the direction of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention located at Richmond, Va., and is visiting churches, associations, and various meetings in the South to stimulate interest in the work of his denomination. Members of the congregation were reminded not to miss this opportunity. Others were invited.

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"Blind Circumstances"

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THURSDAY

Thursday Club. Mrs. J. R. Daniell.

Thursday Bridge Club. Mrs. Ellen Ballas.

Musicals at Rentrée 8 p. m.

FRIDAY

Silk Stocking Club. Mrs. Frank Lide.

SATURDAY

Saturday Club. Mrs. Rufus Peerson.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. E. N. Penick at her home on Johnston street. Other than club members enjoying the meeting were Mrs. Martin Phelan of Chicago, Mrs. Frank Lide, Mrs. R. C. Workman and Mrs. Isherwood of Flint, Mich.

The club prize was awarded to Miss Sabine Dupont and the guest souvenir to Mrs. Lide.

After the game a fruit salad course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Mattocks and their house guest, Mrs. Isherwood and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Saunders are in Huntsville attending the Grand Commandery convening there this week.

TUESDAY CLUB.

Mrs. H. H. May entertained the Tuesday Club at the following supplementary guests at bridge this week Mrs. Pettigo, Mrs. S. E. Patterson and Mrs. C. C. Cox.

Highest score among the club members was made by Mrs. Russell Green and she received the club trophy, silk hose, while a dainty apron was awarded to the lucky guest, Mrs. Cox.

A salad course was enjoyed at the conclusion of the usual number of games.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY ENTERTAINED.

The Adult Missionary Society of the Central Methodist church were hostesses on Monday afternoon to the members of the Y. P. M. S. of the church at a most enjoyable social at the home of Mrs. T. R. Smith. This hospitable home was unusually attractive for the occasion, a profusion of tulips being used for decorations.

Three of the most delightful features of the afternoon's entertainment were the guessing contest which was joined in by each person present; a beautifully rendered

H. B. LUNCHEON CLUB.

Mrs. C. V. Dupont will be hostess to the H. B. Luncheon Club on Thursday at one o'clock at her home on Jackson street.

Miss Ruby Flowers and James Flowers have returned from Mt. Pleasant, Tenn., where they were the guests of relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Shaner, national speaker will lecture on Friday evening at the Westminster Presbyterian church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kennedy will leave at an early date for Montgomery where they will make their home in the future much to the regret of their many friends here.

Mrs. Claude Vaughn who is very ill, is reported slightly improved this morning.

Mrs. Ben Curtis returned home last night from Lawrenceburg, where she visited her brother, Mr. Elkins.

Miss Lucille Coggin and Hiram Coggin have returned from Nashville where they spent the Easter holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Saunders of Griffin, Ga., are expected on Saturday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Saunders. They will make the trip in their car.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church enjoyed an Easter social in the basement of the church Saturday night.

Following the social hour Miss Flossie Griffin invited those present to engage in an Easter egg hunt. Paul Conley won the prize for finding the largest number of eggs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Durrett have returned to their home in Little Rock, Ark., after visiting their sister, Mrs. Lillian Thompson.

Mrs. Everett Lee and children have returned to Birmingham after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Lee.

Mrs. Ernest Walker has returned from a few days visit to her mother, Mrs. Branum in Gurley.

Mrs. E. R. Wolfe left this morning for a visit to friends and relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. Albert Jourdan left today to visit in Iuka, Miss.

PERSONALS

Glenn Lee has returned from a few days stay in Birmingham.

James Freeman and his daughter Miss Lulu of 11th avenue West, are visiting relatives in Sheffield this week.

J. W. Flowers was called to Lawrenceburg, Tenn., on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Dr. Fred B. Pearson, of Birmingham is the guest of Rev. C. C. Davison. He will officiate at the Stockton-Lawton wedding which will occur at Pleasant Hill Baptist church tomorrow at 1:30.

Rev. Lucien Polhill, professor of Bible at Mercer University, Macon, Ga., is the guest of his uncle, E. J. Polhill, on East Vine street. He is an attendant at the Stockton-Lawton wedding.

Amusements

What the Press Agents Say

Getting the French atmosphere in "Zaza" Allan Dwan's new Paramount production of the famous play with Gloria Swanson in the title role, which comes to the Princess theater today and Thursday was no simple task for the property men at the company's Long Island studio, where the picture was filmed. Gathering the properties for one scene in "L'Odeon Theatre," a cafe chantant, took two weeks' time.

A partial list of the properties for this scene included: forty-eight French water bottles, six dozen special match stands, six dozen saucers, ten dozen liquor glasses, two dozen special salad bowls, two dozen coffee pots, three dozen individual coffee percolators, two dozen small plates, small forks, small shells, canned snails, two dozen pepper mills, one dozen oil and vinegar castors, three dozen absinthe bottles and spoons, ten dozen French cigarettes and cigars with special Zaza labels, two French taxicabs, and hardest of all, two dozen real Holland gin bottles.

For the interior of Zaza's love nest near the little town of St. Etienne, France, it was necessary to obtain dozens of French ginkgocorns, china ornaments, old-fashioned furniture, a miniature French piano and other the temperamental Zaza. Furnishing the chateau of Duke DeBrissac also proper atmosphere to Dufresne's apartment took considerable time and pains.

In addition to the excellent acting of Miss Swanson, H. B. Warner, Lucille LaVerne, Ferdinand Gottschalk is said to be most remarkable in the corps of property men spent weeks gathering the necessary things to make the picture typically French in tone and color, so that the various scenes are true to type.

ASTOR'S GIFT TO PLYMOUTH

PLYMOUTH—Lord Astor is supplementing Lady Astor's donation of \$50,000 to form a housing trust for Plymouth, by an additional \$50,000.

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SMITH'S HAT IS IN PRESIDENTIAL RING.



ALFRED E. SMITH

Cheered by the delegates and alternates to the Democratic State Convention in Albany, N. Y., Governor Alfred E. Smith threw his hat into the ring for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency.

Somerville News

Mrs. John Gilchrist was in Hartselle shopping Saturday.

Miss Wilda Smith was in Hartselle Saturday visiting relatives.

A. M. Dunaway was in Decatur at a meeting of the board of revenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Waugh and children Harold and Mai were guests Saturday and Sunday of her sister, Mrs. Tom Blankenship and family at Weinmann Cross Roads.

Mrs. Skeggs Johnston was in Hartselle on Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wade were in Hartselle on business Saturday.

Clifton Miller spent the weekend in Albany with relatives.

Blanche Winton was in Hartselle Saturday on business.

Postmaster C. Johnston is making a tour of inspection on the rural routes one, two three and four, from this office last week and this.

Miss Evelyn Miller, after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Tom Goad, at Hines returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wade and Tom Jr., were in Albany Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Speake and children of Hartselle were here Sunday visiting Mrs. Kittie Johnston.

Tom Goad of Hines was here Sunday visiting Mrs. Myrtle Miller and family.

Blanche Winton left Tuesday for Hartselle where she will be the guest of relatives and friends this week.

Mrs. Albert Lang spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mrs. Wess Williams near Hartselle.

Mrs. Harry Hillhouse and Mr. and Mrs. Holmes of Birmingham with Mr. Comer Binford of Kansas motored through Saturday stopping in Hartselle for a short stay and on Sunday visited Mrs. Jas. F. Cain, returning to Hartselle Sunday where they were guests of Mrs. Fred Swift.

Will Meyer left Sunday for Decatur on a business trip and will return sometime this week to the home of James Cain.

Dan Curbon, together with several of his children and grand children, are very sick with measles.

Mrs. P. A. Guyer and son, John Guyer were visitors at Mrs. Jas. Cain's Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Moore on April 20 a daughter.

PROMOTER TRIED

(Associated Press)

TEXARKANA, Texas, April 23.—Pat Marr, oil field promoter, was found guilty in federal district court here today in federal district court guilty on 19 others on charges of misusing the mails.

Women Travel Less By Night Than Time Saving Husbands

CHICAGO.—Night railroad travel by women is diminishing, the Wabash railroad finds. Unlike men they are turning to daylight riding as the more pleasurable and convenient, judging by a survey of John McInerney, assistant general passenger agent.

"It was not long ago that night travel was about evenly divided between men and women," Mr. McInerney said. "Our survey shows that in our Chicago-St. Louis service only 15 per cent of the night patrons are women, while on the day trains 70 per cent are women. This is due in large measure to comforts and general conveniences afforded them on day trains.

"Women traveling alone, or with children especially, have forsaken night travel and almost all of the roads are arranging to increase comfort of this class of travel."

"It is quite different with men, who as a time saver alone, prefer to do their traveling at night."

STATEMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK

MARCH 31, 1924

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Commercial and Call Loans.....\$720,862.50	Capital Stock.....\$ 200,000.00
Commodity Loans.....220,000.00	Surplus Fund.....200,000.00
Demand Loans.....254,911.97	Undivided Profits and Reserves.....87,573.02
	Bonds Borrowed.....75,000.00
	Deposits.....4,867,383.10
Loans and Discounts.....\$3,016,319.60	
Overdrafts.....3,331.73	
Stocks and Bonds.....166,500.50	
Banking Houses (10).....102,500.00	
Furniture and Fixtures (16 sets).....42,500.00	
Other Real Estate.....12,600.00	
Building Account.....7,882.95	
Bonds Borrowed.....75,000.00	
Cash and Due from Banks.....807,546.87	
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Blasting Through Hell Gate

MARINE DEATH TRAP

Submarine explosives have just achieved a work of the highest importance to navigation in the clearing up to a depth of 35 feet of Pot Rock Reef, one of the most serious menaces to present day deep water shipping at Hell Gate, in the East River, New York. When all the work is completed, it will be possible for battleships and merchant vessels of over 30 feet depth to pass from New York Harbor or the New York Navy Yard through Long Island Sound and into the Atlantic Ocean by another route than the old Sandy Hook Channel and it will give a new inside waterway for ships coming up or down the coast to pass through the East River without going outside around Long Island.

Hell Gate for generations has been a danger to navigation and its tides and reefs have been the cause of the loss of many lives and a great number of vessels. Once sailing vessel out of every fifty, in the old days used to be seriously damaged when trying to pass through the channel between the reefs.

The importance of having the East River free from reefs at Hell Gate was long ago recognized by the Federal government and New York City authorities. As early as 1845, a survey of Hell Gate was made by navy officers who reported the necessity of making the channel safe and suggested the destruction of some of the most dangerous rocks. A few years later a process of blasting was introduced but it was not until the modern high explosives with their great shattering power and their ability to do thorough and effective work under water, were brought into play that important progress began to be made on the project.

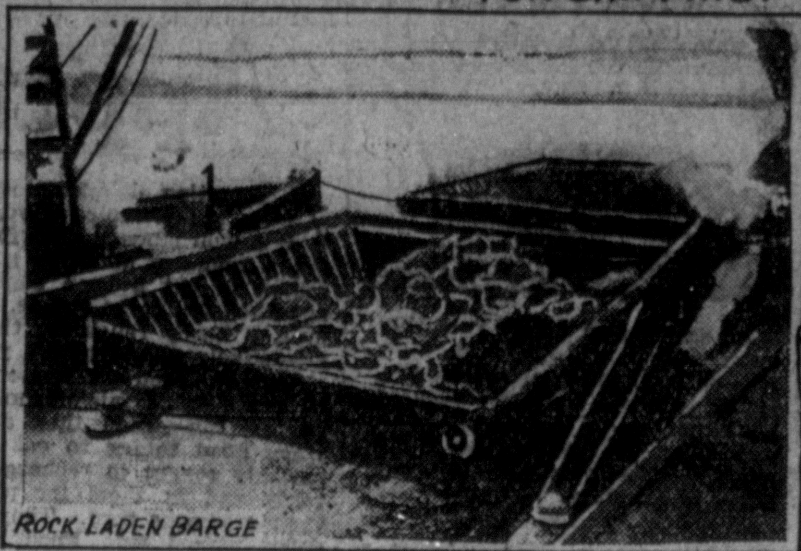
In the recent removal of reefs, work upon which is still going on, from fifty to sixty thousand cubic yards of granite, scow measurements were taken out and the area involved some 311,000 square feet. The contract called for the removal of the reefs and the making of a channel 500 feet wide and 35 feet deep at mean low water.

6 YEARS OF BLASTING

The removal of the reef was accomplished by the New Jersey Shipbuilding and Dredging Company which has been steadily at work at Hell Gate for six years. The work was under the direction of Col. J. R. Slatery, Corps of Engineers, District Engineer, 1st district, New York City. In order to accomplish its work, the com-

Over 50,000 Cubic Yards of Granite Ripped Out by Explosives Which Were Shot Below the Water Line

WHEN WORK IS COMPLETED, A CHANNEL 35 FT. DEEP AT MEAN LOW WATER WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR SHIPPING.



ROCK LADEN BARGE

pany had to design and construct special floating plants in order to drill the holes in the rock at the bottom of the harbor. 90% gelatin dynamite was used under water in shattering the material.

115 COLLISIONS RECORDED

Until present methods were adopted many difficulties were encountered in the work. One was in trying to find a way to drill holes in the rock at the bottom of the river because of the enormous power of the tides. The East River receives at one extremity the Sound tide and at the other the tide from off Sandy Hook. Before this was finally accomplished, several pieces of the contractors' plant had been lost and it was only after a great many experiments and changes that it was found possible to drill the holes for the explosives in a satisfactory manner.

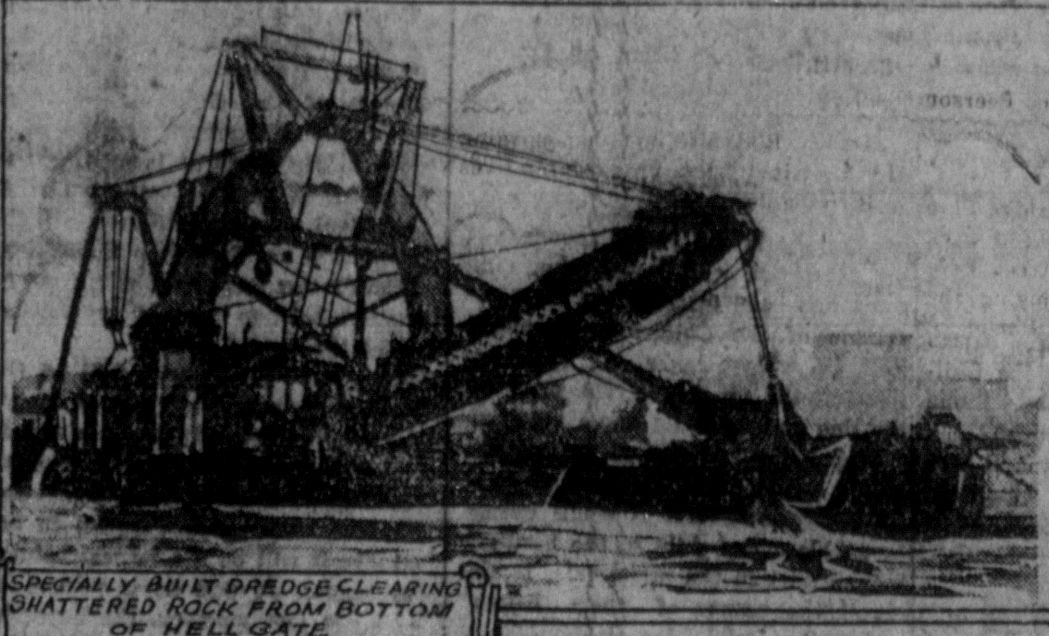
Another great difficulty was in

holding the drill ships to the place of work and anchoring them in position. This danger is shown by the fact that from May, 1918, to February, 1923, there were no less than 115 collisions recorded. These ranged from collisions resulting in a total loss of the plant to more or less grave damage.

They included many types of boats which struck the dredging plants including large steamers, powerful towboats towing heavy car floats, others with many dock scows in tow and sailing vessels. At times lives were lost in these collisions. They took place in all kinds of weather because the dredging plant was on the job continually day and night except when ice floes prevented work at certain periods in winter.

USED 65 FT. STEEL DRILLS

The holes in the reef at the bottom of the river were drilled by machine placed on a barge which



SPECIALLY BUILT DREDGE CLEARING SHATTERED ROCK FROM BOTTOM OF HELL GATE

also contained the necessary machines and boilers for operating the drills. The drills themselves were very large and powerful and had to be designed and built specially. Due to the depth of water it was necessary to use a drill steel 65 feet in length to obtain the necessary penetration.

CLEARING UP POT ROCK

Holes were drilled in the rock at the bottom of the harbor sometimes to a depth of twenty feet and loaded to the top with the dynamite. This was encased in a metal pipe and after it was lowered into a hole, the drill boat was moved away by means of anchor chains and when at a safe distance the shot was detonated. Three holes were shot at a time and this resulted in shattering as much as 200 square feet. Each hole was spaced on ten foot centers. The dredge used was of a type similar to an enormous steam shovel which is employed in land excavation work, having a bucket of about ten cubic yards capacity. The dredge was brought up after a number of the holes were fired and scooped

up the fragments of rocks placing them in a scow for transportation. The clearing up of Pot Rock Reef is one of the latest steps in improving Hell Gate which has been going on for generations. Of recent years the clearing away of under water obstructions has been done bit by bit with dynamite.

The greatest blast with explosives in clearing Hell Gate channel took place October 10, 1923, when Flood Rock was removed by one blast. In accomplishing this about nine acres were tunneled and drilled. The aggregate length of the tunnels was 21,570 feet, and of the drill holes, 113,102 feet. The object sought to be gained by removing the rocks and reefs was to make a channel of the uniform

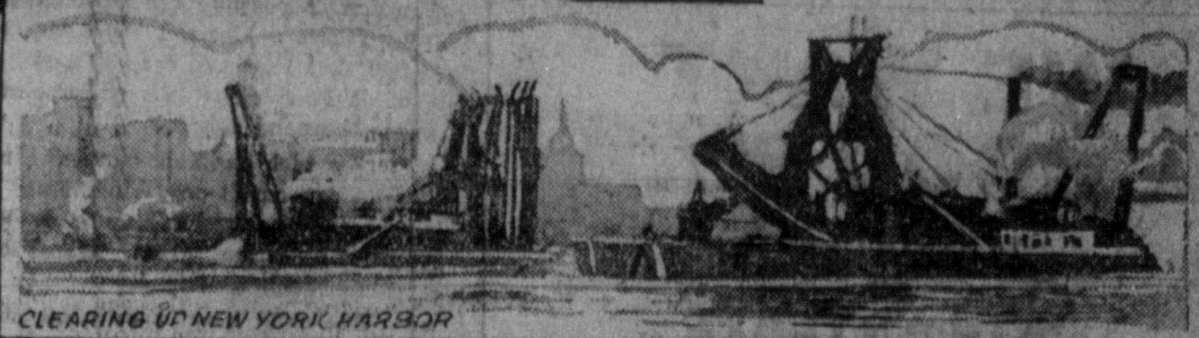
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The government projects call for a channel which will eventually be from 900 to 1000 feet wide at this point. \$1,500,000 REMOVAL PLANT Work is now nearing completion under a contract for securing a channel through Hell Gate off Hallett's Point 500 feet wide and 35 feet deep at mean low water and increasing the depth over Pot Rock to 35 feet at mean low water. Work is now in progress for removing a section of the reef off

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tion of Middle Ground to the same depth. A rock removal plant, estimated to cost about \$1,500,000, is now operating under the immediate supervision of Capt. J. L.



CLEARING UP NEW YORK HARBOR

Hartselle News

An Easter Cantata was presented at the First Methodist Church Sunday night, under the direction of Mrs. C. Lee. A large audience was in attendance, the congregation from the first Baptist church attending in a body, there being no preaching service at their church.

Several weeks have been used in practicing the songs and story mak-

ing featuring the Cantata, and its rendition was very interesting and entertaining.

The spoken part of the program was perfectly rendered by Miss Vivian Wade, this part coming in between the choruses, duets and quartettes.

Rev. R. W. Anderson, pastor of the First Methodist church accepted the invitation to preach the commencement sermon at the Ryan Junior High school, and left early Sunday morning for that place in the eastern part of the county. This is one of the large consolidated schools of the county, was

presided over by Professor Geo. Woodruff, assisted by several teachers.

Work was resumed on all the road projects within the city limits today and will be carried to completion with all haste. Bad weather has delayed this work, as it should have been completed sometime since under ordinary conditions. Concrete was poured today into the forms for the culvert uniting the south and north ends of the highway through town.

A large fruit and berry crop is assured in this section. Here in town

there are over a hundred pear trees in full bloom in the orchard of Dr. D. W. Day. This pear orchard was planted several years ago, and with rare exceptions has borne a fine quality of fruit for many years.

Those who have given the fruit trees some examination state that everything so far is alright.

Fifteen hundred berry crates have been received here for members of the Morgan County Truck Growers association and have been delivered to them by the Secretary Ernest F. Mittweide. As usual there will be quite a number of shipments of strawberries from here, though it will not be possible to ship in ear lots yet.

A meeting was held at the City hall Friday night to hear protests of citizens relative to the proposed street improvement program the city council has formulated and propose to carry into effect at an early date. Several citizens were present, and some objections were registered against the measure. After considerable discussion the matter went over to next Tuesday night, that being the regular meeting of the city council, at which time the matter will be disposed of.

Genuine sorrow was expressed by many citizens of Hartselle upon learning of the death of W. R. Shelton, which occurred at Nashville, Tenn., last Thursday morning. Many knew him through his paper, The Albany-Decatur Daily, it being a daily visitor to many of the homes here, and many knew him personally, he making trips here frequently, and those he met could not fail to be impressed with his strong personality, his polite and affable manners, and his engaging conversational nature.

W. S. Poole and family will move into their new brick bungalow home just completed on East Main street this week. The home was started last November, but due to most unfavorable weather for building, the completion was not effected until last week.

The store of C. C. Doss was burglarized last Friday night, the safe rifled and the night intruder opening the back door and going out. It is not known how entrance to the building was effected as there was no visible signs of door or lock being forced. It is understood that some money was taken from the safe though checks were left.

The burglar in leaving carried an axe from the store and left it just outside the door where he made his exit, evidently intending to protect himself if apprehended. It is not possible to ascertain that any merchandise was taken.

Electric company gave a demonstration at the office of the power company Saturday, demonstrating the efficiency of the automatic electric stove. Delicious cake and other foods were served throughout the afternoon to visitors who were invited to attend the demonstration.

Rev. C. C. Walker preached at Mount Zion church Sunday afternoon at two

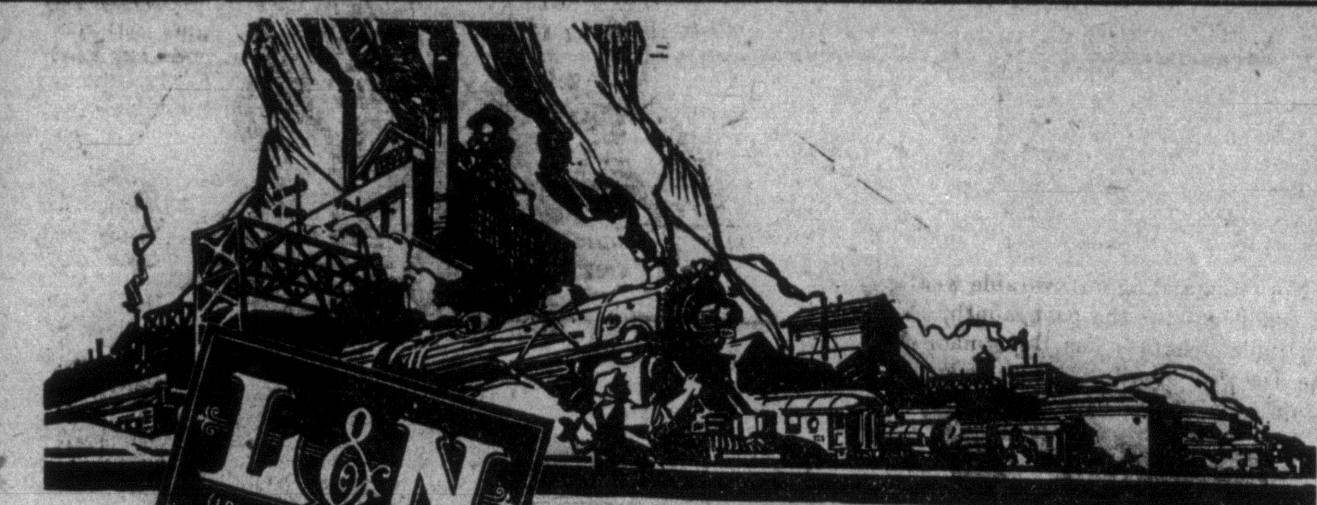
o'clock. The church is located about three or four miles south-east of Hartselle.

Perry Orr of Nashville, Tenn., a student at Vanderbilt University, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Orr last Sunday. He returned Sunday afternoon.

Gene Orr, youngest son of Mr. and

Mrs. J. B. Orr, who is attending a private school taught by Professor Henry T. Lile of Trinity was home Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. Hal Barcliff and Candler Cain are at Jasper this week looking after the large interests of the Barcliff Poster Advt. Co., in the various towns of Walker county.



PROGRESS

In 1923- and Part of Its Program for 1924

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad shows in the accompanying comparative figures a few of its outstanding accomplishments in 1923—the banner year of its performance:

	1923	1922	Increase
Tons of freight handled	57,460,190	48,890,798	17.5%
Passengers carried 1 mile	767,475,053	669,328,572	14.7%
Tons of coal handled	30,308,989	27,374,688	10.7%
Cost of operation	\$115,702,530	\$103,502,493	11.7%
Value of materials used	\$33,379,764	\$28,696,080	16.3%
Railway taxes	6,372,310	4,686,148	35.9%

This unprecedented record shows the great value of the L & N. in aiding the business development of the territory which it serves.

In addition, the L & N's improvement work for 1923 and its program so far developed for 1924, evidence its purpose to keep abreast with the growing needs of the times.

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of 42 new locomotives, 5,115 new freight cars and 60 new passenger cars—making a total expenditure of \$33,147,846.

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Seek to Enroll Children of the South in the Children's Founders Roll

With April 26th, Southern Memorial Day, just a few days off, the Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association is sending out its final appeal urging the enrollment of the school children of the South in the Children's Founders Roll of the Confederate Memorial as a demonstration of love and devotion to the few remaining veterans of the gray.

Through the Children's Founders Roll chairman, Mrs. Rogers Winter of Atlanta, the following appeal is being made everywhere:

"Dear Southerners: Will you help to make a success of the Memorial Day enrollment of the children of the South by sending in the names of children everywhere for the Children's Founders Roll of the Stone Mountain Confederate Memorial?"

"The Children's Founders Roll was inaugurated by the Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association

in order that the children of the South might have a share in the carving of the greatest monument that the world has ever known. It provides for the enrollment of white children under 18 years of age in the Great Book of Memory, which will occupy the place of honor in Memorial Hall at Stone Mountain; and for the memorialization of Confederate soldiers whom they wish to honor.

Each child who makes a contribution will receive a small bronze medal, designed by Gutzon Borglum, showing that he is one of the founders of the memorial, and later, when his name has been inscribed in the Great Book of Memory, he will receive a certificate showing the number of the page and the line on which his name appears.

One dollar was named as the children's contribution because the Association feels that it is small enough to enable every child in the South to have a part in the memorial. It also enrolls the names of their beloved makes it possible for all families of Confederate kinsmen whether they feel that they can take one of the adult Founders Roll memberships of one thousand dollars.

"For each one dollar contributed, a child can enroll any Confederate soldier that he wishes to remember—his grandfather, great grandfather, cousin, uncle or friend.

"One child may enroll as many names as he likes, provided he send in one dollar for each name enrolled. For each one dollar sent in the child will receive one line for himself and if he desires to memorialize six persons, his contribution will be six dollars, and he will be given six lines in the Book of Memory.

"When there are two or more children in a family, each child can memorialize the same Confederate soldier or—as many children are doing—the Confederate kin in both branches of the family may be memorialized by dividing the name of the person he wishes to memorialize between the children thus preserving the record of both paternal and maternal ancestors and kin.

"Contributions will be received in the names of children who are dead—the same rules governing these applications as those of living children.

"Hundreds of children from all parts of the country have already enrolled their names and cards bearing their serial numbers have already

been issued to them pending the completion of the medal and the great book.

"Each child's name will be enrolled in the order in which it is received at the office of the Association.

"Application blanks will be furnished to all persons who desire to enroll their children; and organizations, also, may secure as many of the blanks as they need to enroll the children.

"Names may be sent in through the mails without the application blank.

"Will you help to secure the enrollment of the children in such overwhelming numbers as to demonstrate to the world at large (and to the veterans of the Confederacy in particular) that the children of the South have not forgotten the history of the Sixties and that their love and devotion belongs forever to the heroes of the Lost Cause?"

"The Book of Memory will be the greatest volume that the world has ever known, not only because it will enclose the sentiment of a people's heart carried down to generation after generation, but because in actual size it will be the largest volume ever made. It will be a volume of the heart and memory, the beautiful oken of the love of little children for the men who wore the gray. It will perpetuate from age to age the memory of the men who fought, bled and died for truth, honor, home and Anglo-Saxon civilization. It will be the link that binds the heroes of the past to the children of today—to the hero worshipping children of all ages and all nations. From all the countries of the globe will come the pilgrims of mankind who reverence courage and honor, noble and heroic sacrifice; and their eyes will find the names of the children in the Children's Book of Memory.

"And think of this. Those enrolled in that great book will have achieved the miracle of eternal youth—at least within its pages. Always it will be the children's book and those whose names appear therein will be dowered with Peter Pan's immortal gift of childhood. And later, when age has

Boy Charges Father with Mother's Death.



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grayed their hair and dimmed their eyes, they will come back across life's bitter years to find themselves children still in the Book of Memory.

"Every child covets the privilege of such an enrollment and not a name should be omitted. Will you join with the Association in making a success of this Memorial Day enrollment of the children?"

In sending in the names write each name plainly. Give child's age, name of parents, completed address, name of Confederate soldier to be memorialized and state what kin soldier is. Send all communications to Mrs. Rogers Winter, Children's Founders Roll, 504 Hurt Building, Atlanta, Georgia.



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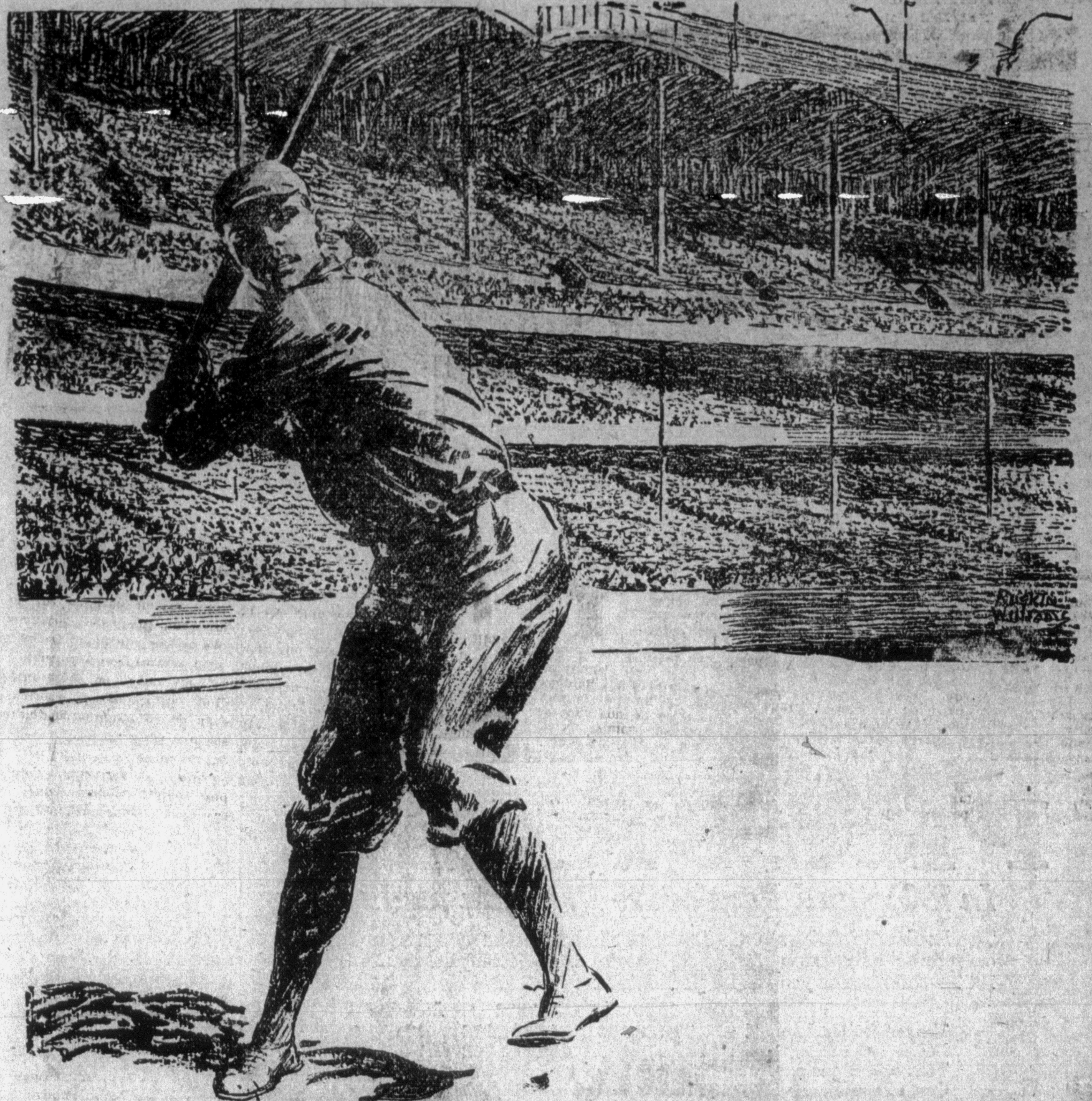
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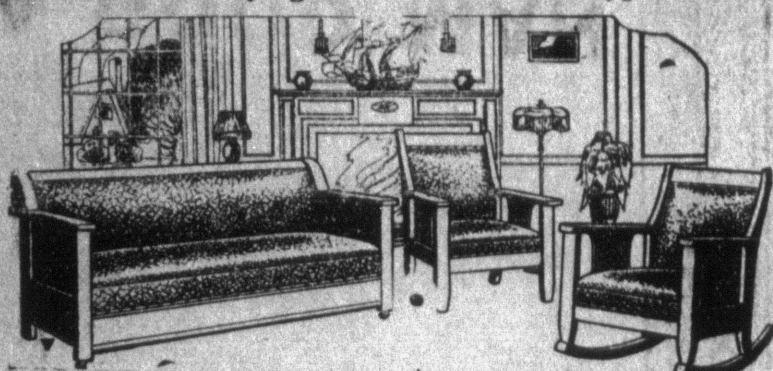
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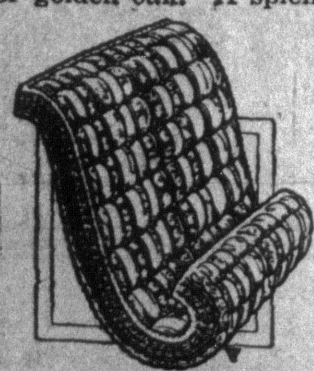
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